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SUBJECT: 24TH UNDP GOVERNING COUNCIL: AGENDA ITEM 4 - CONSULTATIONS
ON DRAFT DECISION

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1. WORKING GROUP (WG) CONTINUED CONSULTATIONS PM, 6/28,
ON DRAFT DECISION ON AGENDA ITEM 4 - ROLE AND ACTIVITIES
OF UNDP. WITH PREAMBULAR PARAS NEARLY COMPLETE, NEGOTIA-
TIONS TO RESUME WED, 6/29 AM, ON OPERATIVE PORTION OF
DECISION(S).

2. COMPROMISE TEXT OF PREAMBULAR PARA SIX (PREVIOUSLY
NUMBER SEVEN) AS REPORTED PARA SIX REFTEL FAILED TO BE
ADOPTED WHEN FRG RETREATED TO INSISTENCE EITHER ON
ORIGINAL LANGUAGE (QUOTE REAFFIRMING THAT THE CONSENSUS
OF 1970 REMAINS THE COMPREHENSIVE FRAMEWORK END QUOTE)
OR INCLUSION OF WORD QUOTE FULL END QUOTE IN BRAZILIAN
AMENDMENT (QUOTE REAFFIRMING THE FULL VALIDITY OF THE
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CONSENSUS OF 1970 END QUOTE). EARLIER USSR HAD AGREED
TO DELETION OF QUOTE FULL END QUOTE. CHAIRMAN OF
WG, MALIK, POSTPONED DECISION ON THIS PARA UNTIL COM-
PLETION OF PREAMBULAR SECTION.

3. PREAMBULAR PARA SEVEN WAS ADOPTED WITHOUT MUCH DIS-
CUSSION AFTER U.S. AGREED TO ORIGINAL TEXT IN CRP. 6

WITH BRAZILIAN AMENDMENT. TEXT READS: QUOTE EMPHASIZING THE NEED TO EXPEDITE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NEW DIMENSIONS AS DEFINED AT ITS TWENTIETH SESSION AS WELL AS PROMOTING TCDC. END QUOTE

4. MUCH DISCUSSION FOCUSED ON PREAMBULAR PARA EIGHT, WITH U.S. SUPPORTING SRI LANKA AMENDMENT INVOLVING QUOTE THE ENHANCEMENT OF UNDP RESOURCES. END QUOTE WG ADOPTED, HOWEVER, ORIGINAL TEXT OF CRP. 6 WHICH READS: QUOTE UNDER-SCORING THE IMPORTANCE OF OBTAINING THE RESOURCES NECESSARY TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE IPFS FOR THE SECOND CYCLE. END QUOTE

5. SRI LANKA INTRODUCED NEW PREAMBULAR PARA NINE, WHICH WAS IMMEDIATELY ADOPTED AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE REEAMPHASIZING THAT IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT THE RESOURCES OF THE PROGRAMME SHOULD BE UTILIZED FOR THE MAXIMUM AND EFFICIENT DELIVERY OF TECHNICA COOPERATION SERVICES. END QUOTE

6. PREAMBULAR PARA TEN INTRODUCED SIGNIFICANT DEBATE ON ROLE OF RESIDENT REPRESENTATIVE. U.S. INSISTED ON INCLUSION OF PHRASE QUOTE INCLUDING THE ROLE OF THE RESREP END QUOTE, OVER OBJECTIONS BY GUYANA AND SRI LANKA (WHICH HAVE SOME UN TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE OUTSIDE THE RESREP'S PURVIEW). WG FINALLY ADOPTED FOLLOWING TEXT AFTER NETHERLANDS AMENDED U.S. PHRASE: QUOTE REITERATING THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CONCERN EXPRESSED AT ITS 22ND SESSION ABOUT IMPROVING HEADQUARTERS AND FIELD COORDINATION WITHIN THE UN SYSTEM, INCLUDING THE ROLE OF THE RESREP IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONSENSUS, AND TAKING NOTE IN PARTICULAR OF THE DECISIONS OF THE 22ND SESSION ON THE QUALITY AND RELEVANCE OF THE PROGRAMME. END QUOTE

7. WG ADJOURNED FOR DAY BEFORE DISCUSSING OPERATIVE SECTIONS OF DRAFT DECISION. BRAZIL INTERVENED TO POINT OUT THAT PRIOR CHOICE HAD TO BE MADE ON LONG-TERM ISSUES REQUIRING FURTHER STUDY BY GOVERNMENTS AND BY UNDP AND THE AGENCIES, AND SHORTER TERM ISSUES WHICH FALL FULLY UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL. USDEL AGREES WITH THIS APPROACH AND WILL BE CONSULTING WITH OTHERS ON SPECIFIC ISSUES TO BE EXTRACTED FROM LONGER-ERM GUIDELINES DECISION ON WHICH THE GC CAN ACT NOW, E.G. THE SPECIAL RESERVE. WITH SUCH A BREAKDOWN, WE BELIEVE THAT FEARS OF SOME COUNTRIES ON UNIVERSALITY (BRAZIL AND OTHER ADVANCED LDCS) AND HOPES OF U.S. DEL ON COORDINATION/ COHERENCE, FUNDING, AND BASIC NEEDS CAN BE RECONCILED. SORENSON

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